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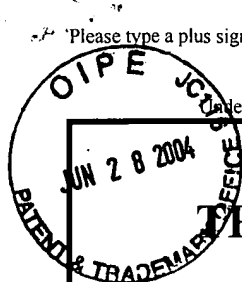


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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

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Introductory Comments:

Applicants submit this Supplemental Amendment in response to the Examiner's Office Action mailed on November 19, 2003, Office Communication mailed on June 7, 2004 and Applicants' telephone conference with Examiner Patrick Lewis, Ph.D., on June 24, 2004. Also submitted herewith is Miller et al. (2004) "A novel reduced intensity regimen for allogeneic hematopoietic stem cell transplantation associated with a reduced incidence of graft-versus-host disease" *Bone Marrow Transplantation* (2004) 33:881-889 (Exhibit A).

Reconsideration of the above referenced application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.